

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

NICHOLAS MERRILL,

Plaintiff,

v.

ERIC HOLDER, Jr., in his official capacity as
Attorney General of the United States, and
JAMES B. COMEY, in his official capacity as
Director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation,

Defendants.

No. 14 Civ. 9763

ECF Case

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Jonathan M. Manes, hereby declare:

1. I am over 18 years of age and am not a party to the above-captioned action.
2. On December 18, 2014, I served the defendant Eric Holder, Jr., by mailing a copy of the Summons, Complaint, Related Case Statement, Civil Cover Sheet, Electronic Case Filing Rules, and Individual Rules of Practice of Judge Victor Marrero to Eric Holder, Jr., United States Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20530, via U.S. Postal Service certified mail, tracking number 70131090000098317328. The certified mail receipt and corresponding postal service tracking sheet, both attached hereto, show that these documents were received on December 29, 2014.
3. On December 18, 2014, I served the defendant James B. Comey by mailing a copy of the Summons, Complaint, Related Case Statement, Civil Cover Sheet, Electronic Case Filing Rules, and Individual Rules of Practice of Judge Victor Marrero to James B. Comey, Federal Bureau of Investigation, 935 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20535, via

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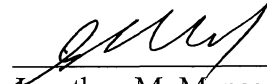
4. On December 18, 2014, I served the Attorney General of the United States by mailing a copy of the Summonses, Complaint, Related Case Statement, Civil Cover Sheet, Electronic Case Filing Rules, and Individual Rules of Practice of Judge Victor Marrero to Attorney General of the United States, United States Department of Justice, 950 Pennsylvania Ave., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20530, via U.S. Postal Service certified mail, tracking number 70131090000098317311. The certified mail receipt and corresponding postal service tracking sheet, both attached hereto, show that these documents were received on December 29, 2014.

5. On December 18, 2014, I served the United States Attorney's Office for the Southern District of New York by mailing a copy of the Summonses, Complaint, Related Case Statement, Civil Cover Sheet, Electronic Case Filing Rules, and Individual Rules of Practice of Judge Victor Marrero to Attn: Civil Process Clerk, United States Attorney's Office, Southern District of New York, 86 Chambers Street, 3rd Floor, New York City, NY 10007, via U.S. Postal Service certified mail, tracking number 70131090000098317335. The certified mail receipt and corresponding postal service tracking sheet, both attached hereto, show that these documents were received on December 22, 2014.

6. Electronic copies of the Summonses, Complaint, Related Case Statement and Civil Cover Sheet were also sent to Assistant United States Attorney Benjamin Torrance via e-mail on December 22, 2014, as a courtesy. Mr. Torrance acknowledged receipt via e-mail the following day, December 23, 2014.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed this 9th day of January 2015 at New Haven, CT.



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December 24, 2014 , 10:44
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December 19, 2014 , 3:39
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December 18, 2014 , 10:59
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Facility

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December 20, 2014 , 3:11 am

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December 19, 2014 , 3:39 am

Departed USPS Facility

SPRINGFIELD, MA 01152

December 18, 2014 , 10:58 pm

Arrived at USPS Origin Facility

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December 18, 2014 , 5:16 pm

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December 18, 2014 , 4:43 pm

Acceptance

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